

Virtual Events Meeting

January 8, 2009

Attending: Diana Hendrix, Kay Sargent, Bo Lowrey, Susan Lancaster.

We used the minutes from our last meeting as the basis for the discussion for this meeting.

1. Committee members volunteered to research and develop events from the list we previously generated.
 - a. By the end of January Diana and Kay will contact Becky Jordan regarding the Overview of the Games and the (the first items on the attached matrix)
 - b. We suggested that Cloyd and Robyn might determine when the Somerset proposal on the Equine Industry might be ready to present
 - c. We would still like to offer a presentation within the state as a 'trial run' before offering the event to the entire state, nation or internationally
 - d. Susan contacted Greg Palmer regarding the presentation on the History of the Horse. Greg that he would work on the presentation and was considering the approach of looking at the role of the horse in the ancient games in Greece. Greg indicated that he knew an expert in the area of the History of the Horse who was knowledgeable, but he would not be prepared to contact his 'expert' until he (Greg) had completed some previous obligations. He there asked that we plan for his presentation in Fall of 2009 or Spring 2010
 - e. We discussed the DRESSAGE events and Diana suggested contacting Midway College. She also volunteered to contact Scott County and the STLP students who had developed a presentation that Diana had seen regarding the 2010WEG events.
 - f. Susan located information regarding the Rolex Kentucky Three Day Event to be held April 23-26, 2009
 - g. It was suggested that RoundTrips might be interested in developing some programs regarding horse and the events related to the 2010 WEG. Susan offered to contact the folks at RoundTrips regarding developing programs in the Fall of 2009. Possible the events might deal with Dressage and Reining. We would propose the "Exchange of Services" model.

- h. Bo and Susan will work together to on developing the Para-Equestrian Events. Bo has contact with physical therapy, Kay has a contact at Cardinal Hill who was an injured rider, and we would contact the Woodford County group that spoke at the September, 2008 event.
- i. Please e-mail Susan and the group with information and updates as information is acquired.
- j. Our target date to have Becky Jordan present would be no earlier than March 26th
- k. Susan (and COT resources) has committed to the MegaDeafConference to be held on March 25.
- l. We will contact potential participants as determine if they are interested, available and what would be their choice of dates.
- m. We will determine how the planning goes for the Spring and then continue plans for Fall 2009 and Spring 2010.
- n. Kay mentioned Japanese students who might be interested in learning more about the 2010 WEG while they are visiting Lexington. We could then follow-up with their school when they return to Japan.
- o. Kay will contact the Lexington Sister Cities to determine if any of the schools in those locations have the equipment to participate in an event.
- p. We learned in December, 2008 that there is no rush to wire the Kentucky Horse Park. Therefore the fiber required to stage an event from that location is not likely to occur before September 2010.
- q. We will determine our next meeting time/date based on the information that each of our work teams reports to the group via email.

Virtual Events Committee Meeting

2010 World Equestrian Games

November 24, 2008

Attending: Diana Hendrix, Kay Sargent, Bo Lowrey, Susan Lancaster, Robyn Phillips, Cloyd Bumgardner.

The purpose of the meeting was to identify the mission and objectives of the committee and to develop a working plan for the Virtual Events to be offered in preparation for the 2010 World Equestrian Games.

Citing the 2010 World Equestrian Games Education Committee's Draft Document, the Virtual Events proposal states in the description:

Prior to the Games, students will interact with equine experts via three virtual events held on Internet2.

The first of these will occur in the spring of 2009, the second in the fall of 2009, and the third in the spring of 2010 immediately after the state testing period.

Projected output will include but not restricted to:

- a. Live, student produced, real-time reporting about issues related to horses, Kentucky and the 2010.
- b. Students and teachers will be linked with experts in virtually all equine related fields: i.e. veterinarians, trainers, competitors, economists, scientists, history events, etc.

Objectives

- 1a. Engage students in the process of designing and implementing web-based events that related to the 2010 WEG.
- 1b. Bring together an international equine community of experts and provide access to their knowledge and expertise via web-based connections
- 2a. Promote the eight events of the 2010 World Equestrian Games.

The Virtual Events Committee agreed, in principle, with the states objectives, description and projected output.

Based on the committee's discussion, and availability of resources the following tentative plans were proposed for offering Virtual Events beginning in the Spring of 2009 and continuing to the August preceding the 2010 World Equestrian Games (beginning in September of 2010).

WEG 2010 Events

1. Show Jumping
2. Dressage
3. Eventing
4. Driving
5. Endurance
6. Vaulting
7. Reining
8. Para-Equestrian

Cloyd Baumgardner and the students of Meece Middle School and Somerset Independent Schools will submit a proposal to Megaconference, Jr 2009. The proposal will provide an overview of the Kentucky Horse Industry.

1. Students from Scott County Kentucky have developed a presentation on events featured in the 2010 World Equestrian Games. This presentation was recently viewed at the 2008-09 STLP Regional Showcase.
2. Introduction and Overview of the 2010 World Equestrian Games by Becky Jordan of Georgetown. Ms Jordan spoke at the September Educational Summit and has agreed to participate in Virtual Events. Ms. Jordan's daughter's event is reining and she may be willing to speak about both the overview of the games, the role of the Ky Horse Park and the individual event.
3. "The History of the Horse": Greg Palmer, MAGPI, has offered to create an event tracing the role of the horse from the perspective of Greek museum artifacts. Greg Palmer has been contacted and asked how this presentation might become interactive with student audiences. This presentation might be especially appropriate for high school humanities classes.
4. Features on specific events:
 - a. Dressage-View the event, feature a discussion of the horse's role in battle and horse armor (a possible collaboration with the Frazier Arms Museum) and a discussion with a horse trainer.

- b. Reining-Becky Jordan and her daughter might provide discussion of the event and perhaps a career discussion with a ferrier.
 - c. Para-Equestrian- Participation by the Woodford County Equine Therapy Program, physical therapy, and participation by a horse veterinarian (Rood and Riddle-sponsor of the 2010 WEG)
- I. Each Virtual Event would be 45 minutes to one hour in length
 - a. might include a 15 minute introduction to the 2010 World Equestrian Games, 15 minute meet the participants and learn about the topic and 15 minutes Question and Answer Forum.
- II. The first “showing” of each event would be exclusively for a Kentucky and limited national audience (trial run).
 - a. The second offering of the same event would be offered for open presentation to state, national and international participation.
- III. Registration for each event would be held via EventBrite (same free site used by MAGPI for registration.)
 - a. Announcements for the events would be posted on
 - i. MUSE
 - ii. CILC
 - iii. Schedule announced at KTLC 2009
 - iv. ISTE2009 (and state affiliates)
 - v. DTC, TRT, KYInternet Listserve
 - vi. CPE Internet2 Listserve
 - vii. Perhaps additional publications such as
 - 1. KEA, NEA publications
 - 2. Edutopia, THE Journal, Teaching and Learning

DRAFT Proposal of Events

Proposed Date	Topic	Proposed Participants	Intended Audience

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Possible Electronic Copies of Educational Materials to be sent to teachers/classes in advance of the Virtual Event:

- a. Map of Kentucky
- b. Map of the Horse Park
- c. List of WEG 2010 events
- d. Connections to KY POS and Core Content (standards)
- e. Other

Possibly Propose to Road Trips (Missouri) to cover the 2010 World Equestrian Games on site